Subject: Chat with Clark Robinson
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Clark: Sad to hear about Kim Lancaster, do you have a way over there to check & take care of the dog?
me: uh, the thing about that is
me: turns out he's alive and fin
me: fine
me: my mom and aunt went over there just now
me: apparently he had a bad day
me: was about to kill himself and then didn't
me: just slipped his mind to tell me that
me: fucking Uncle Kim
me: so, yeah
Clark: wow good, -- maybe better rectify the tweet before some 3rd party does something screwy
me: I was downloading old pics of him to make a memorial something or other
Clark: like send flowers or something
me: yeah, just did
me: thank God they hadn't told grandma yet
me: but now mom and aunt kay can put out the fire, as for me I'm turning off my fucking phone
Clark: i just refreshed twitter and its gone
Clark: he fought communists in africa?
me: no, southeast Asia
me: we lived together in Africa
Clark: ok
Clark: i cowered in the graduate schools during the SE Asia events, tend to forget so many my age did otherwise
Clark: anyhow, glad he's hanging on
me: he's a Blue Dog Democrat
me: yeah, now I can go kill him
Clark: if i were in his shoes, the dog would be a big concern, so good that he's got you to entrust with him/her
me: yeah, I'm not taking his fucking pit bull into my efficiency, that'll have to go to a family member with a yard
Clark: i never had a pit bull, i had a couple of german shepherds long ago, dogs that intimidate people are a lot of extra effort to take care of
Clark: even if they are sweet tempered
me: this one just doesn't fucking behave

me: he jumps and runs on top of you when you're trying to smoke weed on the couch
me: he used to have several huge fucking dogs back when he was a crack-smoking geologist millionaire in Midland and I would fight them off with a whip when I was 7 and got sent to visit
me: before that we had a cocker spaniel that constantly attacked me
me: I basically spent a lot of my early childhood fighting dogs, after which I spent a lot of time alone with cats
me: I think I should get a fucking medal for even occasionally behaving well
Clark: after a lifetime of dogs and horses, i took a feral cat from the barn in after he got run over, and he survived,and then was a house cat for 16 years
me: I love cats
me: playing with them, being attacked by them, getting them mounted if they're bobcats, whatever
Clark: yeah my cat was the best pet of all of them
Clark: he made the transition from ferality to living on the 26th floor when i moved to chicago
me: these guys are having fun
me: http://diaryofdaedalus.com/2010/12/19/everyone-might-want-to-find-a-fire-proximity-suit
Clark: maybe next time i see a green icon next to kim's name I will G-chat him
Clark: is this true? It’s the symbol from Michael Moorcocks writings. The 8 arrows of chaos. Order is a single arrow.
Clark: "prominent netizen" congrats
me: not entirely
me: it is used as the symbol for "chaos magic," which is not actually magic
Clark: so these guys are conservatives of some stripe, and hate CJ because of his apostacy?
Clark: apostasy
Clark: RS McCain's account of events is garbled, he has CJ and you conspiring to out govt-computerguy
Clark: but he (RSM) ends up liking you better than CJ, more congrats
Clark: better than RSM likes CJ, i mean
Clark: looks like RSM has a fake CJ commenting
me: they always have that
me: it's a joke
me: was also going on in the same thread when Caleb was posting as Marvin Olasky
me: which is why I told Olasky to fuck off when he told me to e-mail him and explain
me: Olasky's a nice guy, though, but he needs to understand his place
me: I may be acting like a "figure" prematurely, but it's only because I know how it will turn out
Clark: donald douglas 5 hours ago: "I'm privy to inside information that I can't share in the comments, so McCain, perhaps give me a call later today and I'll update you . . ." sounds scary
me: no
me: I'm cancelling my suit against McCain due to the circumstances

me: I just sent him an e-mail letting him know and wishing him a Merry Christmas
me: as I told him
me: he compared me to a Maoist interrogator once
me: but he never actually floated the idea that I might actually be in the pay of Mao's state
Clark: i got to go, glad Kim reconsidered, talk to you later
me: word